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Eastern Washington Resource Advisory Council Meeting Scheduled for February 23

Spokane, WA - The Eastern Washington Resource Advisory Council (RAC) will hold its next meeting on Friday, February 23, at the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) Spokane District Office, 1103 North Fancher, Spokane Valley, Washington, 99212. The meeting will start at 8:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. The primary objective for the meeting will be to establish the Council's agenda for calendar year 2007. BLM will also present updates on the status of projects

and issues discussed at previous meetings.

The public is welcome to attend all portions of the meeting and may contribute during public the comment period, which starts at 3:00 p.m. Those who verbally address the Council during the open session are asked to also provide a written statement of their comments or presentation. Unless otherwise approved by the Council Chair, the public comment period will last no longer than 30 minutes

The Eastern Washington RAC is comprised of 15 members from a variety of backgrounds who are appointed by the Secretary of the Interior. The Eastern Washington RAC reviews overall planning and proposed activities on federal public land in eastern Washington and provides advice to the BLM and USDA Forest Service. For additional information about the Eastern Washington RAC or the upcoming meeting, contact the Spokane BLM District Office, telephone (509) 536-1200.

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